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For : SINTERED SILICON CARBIDE BODIES WITH OPTIMISED
TRIBOLOGICAL PROPERTIES FOR THE SLIDE AND
SEALING SURFACES THEREOF

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination please amend the application as follows: